SENATE APROVES DRAFT OF MILITIA

House Joint Resolution Authorizing President to Act Is Amended and Returned.

OMITS APPROPRIATION FOR SOLDIERS' FAMILIES

Lower Body Disagrees to All the President Brandenburg Announces Suggested Changes and Appoints Conferees.

The joint resolution providing for the evening, was returned to the House today for approval or rejection of the Retail Merchants' Association yester-Senate amendments. The House by a divisional vote of

ment eliminating a million-dollar relief appropriation for dependent families eral military service. The House asked

The Senate appointed as its conferee on the Hay resolution Senators Chamberlain, Warren and Hitchcock.

The resolution was not passed by the appropriation to aid dependent families of those so drafted had been stricken out and a provision substituted un der which guardsmen having families dependent on them could be excused from service. A preamble declaring that an emergency now exists requiring the service of troops other than the regular army also was eliminated.

Meaning of Clause in Doubt.

There was some confusion over the exact meaning of the draft authorization as finally adopted. Senator Clark yoming, who moved to strike out the declaration of an emergency, included in his motion a proposal to cluded in his motion a proposal to eliminate also a qualifying clause hing-ing the draft authorization on section III of the army reorganization bill. The qualification had been attached in the House to exclude from the draft such National Guardsmen as would not take voluntarily the required oath for federal service.

of the military committee, and the pre-amble and qualifying clause were stricken out without discussion and by

Variance of Views.

The language of the resolution as ters as giving the President an un-National Guardsmen. It reads:

Resolved by the Senate and Hous of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to draft into the military service of the United States any or all members of the National Guard and of the organized militia of the several states, territories and the District of Columbia, and any and all members of the National Guard and organized militia reserves, to serve not exceeding three years unless sooner discharged. militia reserves, to serve not exceeding three years unless sooner discharged."

Senator Clark said his motion did not contemplate giving a conscription power to the President, and he did not construct the amended resolution as conferring such authority. The qualifying clause referring to section 111 had been an unnecessary and cumbersome provision, he said, likely to weaken the resolution by making the draft authorization dependent upon a single section of the army bill.

It was said that should it be found that the amended resolution did in fact give the President conscription power it would be modified in conference.

Appropriation Stricken Out.

The appropriation for relief of dependent families of drafted guardsmen was stricken out by a vote of 45 to 30, after an all-day debate. Under the provision substituted the Secretary of War would be authorized to excuse from service, on their even amplications all militiamen who

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United States of America and the de facts government of Mexico. It is the U. S. CONSULATE SACKED some of idiocy to inquire of a man what his purpose is after he shoots you in the

months ago be had introduced a resolu tion authorising the President to call ou 50,000 troops for use on the border. That resolution has slumbered in committee "Three months would have been a g "Three months would have been a good time in which to prepare and equip these militia." said Mr. Sherman. "Pershing's case would not be so desperate. Today we find that the state militia is not supplied with arms or ammunition. They have not even horseshoers for their cavalry. There is a regiment of cavalry in my state ready to leave, and they cannot even find a horseshoer.

Three Months of Lost Time.

time. Today if we had to push an expe- ment troops forced them to join in an and ammunition. An official comdition across the border there is not a

OF MEN IN SERVICE ACTIVITY CONTINUES

Board of Governors of Retail Store at 1225 Pennsylvania Merchants Arranges for Participation in Work.

COMMITTEE TO CONFER WITH THE ROTARY CLUB

Co-Operation of Board of Trade. Laundry Co.'s Offer.

Anticipating contingencies that may draft of the National Guard into the arise in the future through the musterservice of the United States, which was ing of the National Guard of the Disamended and passed by the Senate last trict into the regular army for border ment of a committee to confer with the committee of the Rotary Club and help attending to all who wanted to enlist. 119 to 5 disagreed to the Senate amendof relief for guardsmen and their famof enlisted men drafted into the fed- liles may be carried forward in a sys- hall, the shadowy figures of recruits tematic and efficient manner. Presi- and examining doctors were dimly see a conference on the resolution and dent R. P. Andrews appointed E. C. the latest soldiers in the National named Representatives Hay, Dent and Graham, Charles A. Goldsmith and Sam- Guard strangely fitting around behind

Mai. Leroy W. Herron of the relief ommittee of the Rotary Club stated oday that as yet the blanks distributed among the guardsmen at Camp Gen. Harvey expects to have them in his hands by tomorrow, if possible. These blanks were distributed by the Rotary Club last week, and contain questions as to whether the guardsmen are married, and if so, how many dependents upon his income each one has, and if they need help. Blanks were left for the answers, in which the guardsmen may state their respective. guardsmen may state their respective

financial conditions.

In response to an appeal by Mrs. William E. Harvey, president of the Women's Relief Association of the National Guard of the District of Columbia, thirteen big laundries of the city have volunteered to do the personal laundry work of the guardsmen free so long as they remain at Camp Ordway. The Page Laundry will specialize on the work of the Signal Corps.

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Laundries Offering Service.

The laundries that have offered their services are as follows:

Arcade Laundry, 14th street and Park road northwest; Columbia Laundry, 623

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G street northwest; Franklin Laundry, 503 13th street and park Manhattan Laundry, 1346 Florida avenue northwest; Frasce-Potomac Laundry, 503 13th street northwest; National Laundry, 217 Pierce street; Page's Laundry, 227 Pierce street; Page's Laundry, 227 Pierce street; Page's Laundry, 237 Several men who volunteered their of two officers and a few local give the written consent of his guardian to enlist. He inclosed two pennies, asking that an enlistment believe was turned over to Columbia Canndry, 503 13th street northwest; Manhattan Laundry, 1346 Florida avenue northwest; Franklin thaundry, 504 13th street northwest; Star the Laundry, 217 Pierce street; Page's Laundry, 218 14th street northwest; Star the Laundry, 218 25 street northwest; Star the Laundry, 217 Pierce street; Page's Laundry, 218 14th street northwest; Star the Laundry, 217 Pierce street; Page's Laundry, 218 14th street northwest; Star the Laundry, 217 Pierce street; Page's Laundry, 218 14th street northwest; Star the Laundry, 217 Pierce street; Page's Laundry, 218 14th street northwest; Star the La

mothers of commissioned officers in the District guard, or other close femining relatives of the officers, to attend

Washington Board of Trade stated this street northwest.

Red Cross Issues Appeal.

The American Red Cross, through William H. Taft, chairman of the central governing committee, has appealed to the public for funds with which to the funds with which to the public for funds with which to the funds with which to the public for funds with which t The American Red Cross, through

BY THE MOB AT TORREON

Mayor and Carranza Troops Lead Crowd, Crying "Death to the Gringoes!"

EAGLE PASS, Tex., June 27 .- The United States consulate at Torreon. Mexico, was demolished June 18 by a mob of 3,000 civilians, led by the mayor of the city and a Carranza army band. according to American refugees arriving here late yesterday. The populace was attending a bullfight, according to Durazzo by the Italians. The trans-

and across the border there is not a man fit for the task, but the regular army."

Anti-American demonstration.

The mob rushed through the streets army.

Mr. Sherman told how private citizens of Chicago made a subscription to buy machine guns for the National Guard. Only to find that not a gus could be bought, as the factories were making them to send to Europe.

"You can't take them over, either, unless you declare war," exclaimed Mr. Sherman. "This is the result of 'watch-ful waiting', this is your boasted 'pre-paredness." This is the way we have muddled thirgs through; we have always shall it is wors than a crime to have wasted the story are H. G. Storen, J. J. Manny the Americans arriving here of the building. Afterward the mob congregated in the central plaza of the town, where a mass meeting was held this meeting. This is the way we have muddled thirgs through; we have always shall it is worse than a crime to have wasted the night of the 25th and sank two steamers, one of 5,000 tons laden with a stroyed the furniture and the mob congregated in the central plaza of the town, where a mass meeting was held this meeting was held the seminant of the country. A wireless message has been sent with the story are H. G. Storen, J. J. Martin, J. A. Regers, F. M. Howard, I. S. Spreckelmyer, E. A. Porter and his town the long months. Here we are, waiking in a fool's paradise, hoping that all cliffen. These refugees are en route to their homes in various parts of the country and the mob congregated in the central plaza of the two streamers, one of 5,000 tons laden with and the other of 3,000 tons, laden with a sank two steamers, one of 5,000 tons laden with the building. These manners and unnitions. The warships redaded the night of the 25th and sank two steamers, one of 5,000 tons laden with the building. The warships redaded the middle of the building and the central plaza of the two steamers, one of 5,000 tons laden with a stroyed the furniture and then of the 25th and and the other of 3,000 tons laden with a stroy anti-American demonstration.

RELIEF TO FAMILIES RECRUITING STATION

Avenue Center of Enlistment Work Today in District.

VOLUNTEERS BEING SENT DIRECT TO FORT MYER

Applicants Unable Satisfactorily to Answer How Dependents Would Be Supported Are Rejected.

The center of enlistment today is the station at 1225 Pennsylvania avenue and sent at once to Fort Myer. There morning, and Maj. Clarence V. Saye and his assistants had their hands full In the back of the long store, behind an American flag draped across the All Senate amendments to the resolution were disagreed to without discussion, including the striking out of the declaration that in the opinion of Congress an emergency exists warranting the drafting of the militia into the federal service and the elimination of reference to provisions of the army regulation act, which action, some members believe, would give the President power of conscription over national guards—

Mel Hart members of the committee.

The board discussed the guard relief situation in detail, but, owing to the fact that as yet nothing definite has developed, was unable to make any plans for the lack of volunteers with automobiles willing to bring the men from the guardsmen actually leave for the border.

Following the meeting, the board of governors went to Camp Ordway in automobiles, where the members paid their respects to Lieut. Col. Anton Stephan, who is a member of the board.

Blanks Not All Refurned

The strange lack of desire, seem ingly, on the part of Washingtonians for certain parts of the day to carry sworn-in men to the camp was comnented on this morning by those in charge at the Pennsylvania avenue station. It was said that more Maryland residents have volunteered this service by far than have residents of Washington, and that the prize for this patriotic service to date goes to Albert E. Terflinger, a farmer, of Oxon Hill, Md. who has come into town every day and given the service of his car to the station. Harry E. Gladman of this city also is complimented by Maj. Sayer for the constant use of his automobile. Those in charge of the station today said the District government has refused to put its cars at the service of the recruiting stations.

One youth tried to enlist in the District of Columbia National Guard by mail. A letter was received at the Pennsylvania avenue station this morncharge at the Pennsylvania avenue sta-

esterday to noon today are: John Lasbore, 618 Kiefer place north

Marco Pica, 309 14th street northwest George Prander, 613 C street south-

John Henry, 1924 L street northwest Maurice Cook, 1223 38d street north-

west.
Raymond S. Perkins, 1050 Jefferson James E. Norris, Rock Point, Md. Paul Ascmakes, Glen Echo, Md.

John R. Hudlow, 1645 8th street Oscar Beall, Shepard road, District of Charles Wolf, 1603 E street north-George T. Gurr, 934 E street north-

west.

Henry A. Hall, Bristow, Va.
L. A. Dix, 1025 Kenyon street northwest. John H. Hadder, 1431 10th street northwest. William Wirdin, 1400 U street north-George Tyler, 991 Florida avenue

William L. Taylor, 432 10th street Charles M. Pitts, 48 H street north-

James H. Oden, Gaithersburg, Md. Charles Hutchenson, 1000 G street

orthwest. Parker H. Worthly, Malden, Mass. Raymond M. Thayer, 3145 P stre Clair C. Lloyd, 648 I street southeast. Robert Blue, Manassas, Va. Daniel Berrihard, Baltimore. Lewis A. Coleman, 1251 Wisconsin

venue. William R. Heller, 51 Q street north-Joseph S. Harngan, 912 8th street Amos S. Schiller, 9 H street.

TWO TRANSPORTS SUNK.

Italian Warships Penetrate Harbor of Durazzo, Striking Austrians.

ROME, June 27.—Two Austrian trans-ports have been sunk in the harbor of "There has been three months of lost the refugees, when de facto govern- ports were loaded with troops, arms munication regarding the sinking says:

REFUGEES ARRIVING AT INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE.



MANY MEXICANS ARE FLEEING FROM THE INTERIOR AND ARRIVING DAILY AT EL PASO, WHERE THEY ARE SEEKING REFUGE.

ON ALL FRONTS IS **BELIEVED AT HAND**

(Continued from First Page.)

German Statement.

"On the British front and the northern wing of the French army patrol smoke clouds floated toward us. They did no damage to the Germans, and at some places floated back to the enemy trenches. The enemy fire was directed with especial intensity against us on both sides of the Somme.

"As a result of the bombardment of Nesle by the French, twenty-two of their own countrymen were either killed or wounded.

"On the right bank of the Meuse.

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French attacks northwest and west of
the armored work of Thiaumont and
southwest of Fort Vaux were ineffective. In Chapitre wood an enemy
detachment of two officers and a few
dozen men was surprised and its members made prisoner."

Russ Push on Kolmea,

But Teutons Effect Breach in Lutsk Salient

LONDON, June 27 .- According to the breach in the Russian front in the

With the elimination of Gen. Pflaner's army in Bukowina the attention of Gen. Brussiloff's forces in this section now is directed upon Kolomea the key to the defense of Lemberg on the south. The occupation of Kimpolung and Kuty has opened the way to Kolomea, and already a result of this is becoming evident in the forward at army headquarters: is becoming evident in the forward movement of Gen. Letchitzky on the road from Sniatyn to Kolomea to a point ten miles from the latter town. It is evident from the report of prisoners and booty taken that the Austrians defended Kimpolung with considerable forces. They were attacked by Russian troops, which had covered the thirty miles from Gurahumora in two days, and were rushed into the fight with scarcely an hour's rest. According to Russian military authorities, their assault added the last touch needed to complete the demoralization of Gen. Pfianzer's forces, which now are entirely cut off from communication with Gen. Count von Bothmer's army group on the Stripa river to the north.

Position Regarded Precarious.

Gen. von Bothmer's position is regarded as precarious as a result of this operation. His right flank has been completely uncovered, and Russian military critics believe he will without doubt be forced to fall back along his whole line before Tarnopol. In the face of stiff counter attacks, In the face of stiff counter attacks, the Russians have been able to push a wedge in the direction of Vladimir-Volynski to a point which threatens that town and endangers Brody, the gateway to Lemberg from the east, according to Petrograd. According to the military expert of the Bourse Gasette, the Germans have taken full charge in this region and have filled up the ranks of Archduke Ferdinand's broken army, which alone has lost 70,000 men since the beginning of the Russian advance.

five versts southwest of Lipsk. They were repulsed. The enemy renewed his attack at noon on a greatly extended front under cover of heavy and light "Yesterday morning our aviators, Sublicuts. Kvasskoff and Vladimiroff erished, meeting a heroic death.

Shelling Russians on Styr.

"On the Styr, from Kolki to Sokul, the fermans are bombarding our trenches ith heavy artillery, and have attacked locally, but everywhere were sucessfully repulsed.

cessfully repulsed.

"Repeated attacks in mass formation in the region of Linewka on the Stokhod were repulsed by our fire.

"In the direction of Lutsk and farther south the situation is unchanged.

"On the reaches of the Dniester, south of Buczacz, our Don Cossacks, having crossed the river fighting and overthrowing elements of the enemy's advance guards, occupied the villages of Siekerghine and Petruve, capturing five officers and 350 men.

"Russian cavalry, after a fight, occupied the enemy positions near Pezerit, nine versts west of Kimpolung (Bukowina).

"According to later reports we cap-tured large depots of wood and thirty-nine abandoned wagons at Molit and Frumos stations on the Gurahumora-Rasoka railway.

"We also are making progress south-

Precipitate Retreat of Austrians Causes Rejoicing All Over Italy

LONDON, June 27 .- Reports from the rancing all along the Trentino sector, econquering positions which the Austrians had occupied and capturing men, arms, ammunition, provisions and all cinds of supplies which the Austrians kinds of supplies which the Austrians were obliged to abandon in precipitate retreat. All Italy is rejoicing over the withdrawal of the Austrians six weeks after their offensive movement on the Trentino front began.

The Italians have captured Posina and Arsiero. The war office also announced the capture of Mounts Fiara, Taverle, Spitz, Kesserle and Cima Della Satte and the crests on the Calderia and Campandila.

the Austrian retreat north of the austrian driefle road, the Italian war office issued the following statement covering the various fields of operations.

"We advanced from the Arsa valley to the Sette Communi plateau. In the Arsa work of the commission, and declared the state of the commission and declared the state of the commission and declared the state of the commission and the the Austro-Germans have effected a drielle road, the Italian war office isbreach in the Russian front in the Lutsk salient near the Svidniki bridge-head, an important position on the direct road to Kovel. This statement is in contradiction to the Petrograd report, but it probably was issued later.

The Times correspondent at the Russian headquarters on this front explains the facility with which the Germans the facility with which the Germans can reinforce their lines, and says this makes the maintaining of the Russian positions here very difficult.

German troops west of Sokul in Volhynia have stormed Russians positions over a front of about 3.000 meters and repulsed all counter attacks, says the Austrian official communication.

Moving on Kolmea.

With the elimination of Gen. Pflan-

Both Russians and Turks Are Delivering Attacks

in Regions of Near East

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 27 .- The last recorded victory of the Russians following announcement has been made

"In Persia Russian troops of all arms. under protection of their fortified positions, made an attack June 26 against
our forces east of Servil. The engagement lasted until evening. The Russians finally withdrew without accomplishing their purpose, having suffered
considerable losses.

"A Russian detachment which attempted to outflank our troops in this
sector was compelled by a counter attack to return to its position.

"Our troops operating south of this
sector approached the neighborhood of
Chilan. The Russians avoided a fight,
evacuating their positions and withdrawing to the northeast.

"In the north our troops advancing under protection of their fortified po-

"In the north our troops advancing from Sineh met a regiment of Russian

EXEMPTS 104 NAVY YARD MEN FROM MILITIA DUTY

"Their work in making

ammunition is more important to the government than it would be in shooting it," was the reason given by Secretary Baker in directing the honorable discharge of 104 members of the District National Guard who are employed in the gun factory at the Washington navy yard. That action was taken at the suggestion of the Secretary of the Navy that the work at the local yard would be delayed by the loss of the serviecs of these men. The army defense act exempts artificers and employes of navy yards and arsenals from service with the organized militia

north of the Tchoruk, we are consolidating positions which we captured from the Russians. At other points our troops are pursuing the enemy, who is fleeing from this front toward the coast. We captured or dispersed small detachments of the enemy, among which were thirty-three men of the left. of the enemy, among which were thirty-three men of the 19th Turkestan Regi-

Turkish Defeats Claimed PETROGRAD, June 27.-The Russian

var office statement today, on operations in the Caucasus and Mesopotamia, is "Caucasus front-We repulsed night

attacks in the Trebisond sector in the regions of Platana and Djivizylk. "On the right bank of the Euphrates the Turks assumed the offensive and seized a height in the region of Nourik early in the morning, but toward noon we

early in the morning, but toward noon we dislodged them.
"Mesopotamian front—The enemy, after artillery preparation, took the offensive at Revanduzo (near Mosul) and captured sectors of our positions, but was driven out by a counter-attack, leaving a number of killed and wounded before our works. our works.
"In the direction of Bagdad, a Turk'sh offensive was frustrated by our troops which inflicted severe losses upon tae

Poroj Is Bombarded as Activity Increases

on Saloniki Front SALONIKI, June 27 .- There is reewed activity on the French front. An newed activity on the French front. An engagement has occurred between patrols at Liumnitza, on the right bank of the Vardar, and there has been cannonading in the neighborhood of Ardjan lake and in the region of Kalinovo. The bombardment of Poroj has been resumed.

vening agreed to an amendment offered mead place and between it and Rock 20th street northwest and between it and first official map and excluded in the first official map and excluded by the commission from the second map, be and are hearby reincluded as a part of the connecting parkway between Potomac Park, the Zoological Park and Rock

Creek Park."

The "commission" referred to in the amendment is that created in the public buildings and grounds act of 1913 lic buildings and grounds act of 1913 to commence proceedings toward the acquisition of lands required for a connecting parkway between Potomac Park, the Zoo Park and Rock Creek Park. The pending bill carries an item of \$50,000 to enable this commission to begin work, and the Smoot amendment provides for taking the land as originally planned for this purpose.

Senator Smoot also had an amendment adopted providing for nine law clerks at \$3,000 a year each, one for the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States and one for each associate justice.

RITES FOR JAMES E. DODGE.

Funeral Held From Residence. Burial at Glenwood Cemetery.

Funeral services for James E. Dodge, he young patent attorney who died sudienly at his residence, 3435 14th street northwest, Saturday, were held this afteroon at 2 o'clock at the residence. Rev. Francis M. McCoy of Waugh M. E. Church officiated. Interment was at Glenwood cemetery.

Glenwood cemetery.

A graduate of the McKinley Manual Training School with the class of 1908 and the recipient of the degrees of LL B. in 1911 and LL M. and L. D. M. in 1912 from Georgetown University, Mr. Dodge was widely known throughout the city, and his sudden death came as a great shock to his many friends in scholastic and legal circles.

WOULD EXTEND THE RELIEF.

Another Effort to Induce Action For Guardsmen Includes Regulars.

Another effort to induce the Senate to appropriate relief for dependent families of enlisted militiamen accepted for service in the Mexican emergency was instituted today by the inction of a separate bill by Sena tor Johnson of South Dakota to appropriate \$2,000,000 instead of \$1,000,000, as carried in the House drafting resolution amended yesterday.

The Johnson bill would extend the proposed relief also to dependents of enlisted men of the regular army as long as they are in service in Mexico. The monthly allowance proposed for dependents would be a service of the pendants would be a service of the s

ALL APPROPRIATIONS CASEMENT YAWNS WILL BE CONTINUED WITH LIFE AT STAKE

House Committee Reports Bill Sir Roger Shows Apathy as **Granting Funds to Run** Government.

EIGHT ANNUAL MONEY MEASURES HELD UP

Urgent Deficiency Bill Carries Large Sums for Operation of Army

today reported a bill continuing until not that of a trial for life, and the today reported a bill continuing until July 31 all appropriations necessary for the operation of the government which remain unprovided for June 30 and also an urgent deficiency appropriation bill. The continuing appropriations bill extends the current year appropriations for a month because of the failure of final passage of eight of the annual supply bills for the next fiscal year, beginning July 1—the agriculture, army, District of Columbia, Military Academy, naval, pension, post office and sundry civil appropriation bills.

There are also a keneral deficiency and urgent deficiency bill yet to go through both houses, together with the fortification bill, which carries appropriations without reference to the fiscal year. Under the continuing bill a sum equal to one-twelfth of the appropriations for the current year is made available for July.

Similar resolutions have been pushed through Congress in the past when supply bills have been delayed in the congestion of legislative business.

Millions For Preparation.

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ontinuing appropriations bill, carried millions for the preparations of the army and National Guard in connection with the Mexican situation and \$326,000 for the navy. Besides \$250,000 for the signal service and \$60,000 for wireless for the navy. Besides \$250,000 for the signal service and \$60,000 for wireless telegraph installations, the bill appropriates for the Quartermaster Corps \$9,983,214 for transportation, \$8,025,965 for horses, \$3,791,160 for clothing, camp and garrison equipage; \$1,848,000 for pay of the National Guard; mileage of officers, \$50,000; subsistence, \$623,700; regular supplies, \$105,410; construction and repair of hospitals, \$100,000; and in the Engineer Department, \$600,000 for field operations; \$200,000 for engineer equipment of the troops, along with many minor items. In the naval establishment the bill appropriates \$55,000 for the medical department, \$100,000 for provisions for the Marine Corps, \$105,000 for military stores for the marines, and \$60,000 for contingent expenses of the Marine Corps.

"In Terrible Need of Money."

Brig. Gen. Scriven, chief signal officer of the army, told the House appropriations committee that the army is "in terrible need of money for radio poles and so on, to carry on the abso-

poles and so on, to carry on the absolutely necessary communication on the Mexican border." The \$250,000 is for radio installations generally and for purchase of motor vehicles.

The \$60,000 is to establish permanent wireless stations on the border at Fort Huachuca, Ariz.; Fort McIntosh, Tex., and Fort Bliss, Tex. With the 300-mile radios the army can pick up the small-

SENATE AMENDS

SINCE A

Half Million For Equipment.

Gen. William M. Black, chief of engineers, and his assistant, Capt. Alvin B. Barber, announced that they will have spent for equipment half a million dollars easily between yesterday and July 1, "in ordering explosives, picks, shovels, portable searchlights for wagons and hand searchlights, rockets for trench warfare, pontoon material and everything necessary to complete the equipment of the troops already ordered out." Gen Pletters complete the equipment of the troops already ordered out." Gen. Black also stated that it looked as if the army would have to call for volunteer en-gineers, "as the National Guard has not got them."

Body of C. H. Bingham to be Moved. President Wilson has signed an order authorizing the health officer of the District of Columbia to issue a permit for the removal of the remains of Charles H. Bingham from Congressional cemetery to Lock Haven, Pa.

Trial for High Treason Continues.

LONDON, June 27.—The second day of the trial of Sir Roger Casement for high treason opened with no change in the apathetic attitude with which the general public regards the case. The principal reason offered for this lack of interest is that the attention

of the country is focused upon the continent, where what possibly may prove the decisive phase of the great war is at the crucial stage on both the eastern and western fronts. The atmosphere of the courtroom !

COL. ROOSEVELT TO DINE

NEW YORK, June 27.-Theodor coosevelt has accepted an invitation to dine with Charles E. Hughes at the republican presidential neminee's hotel here at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night, it was learned here today.

Only the candidate and the colonel t was stated, will be present at this linner, which will be held in Mr.

it was stated, will be present at this dinner, which will be held in Mr. Hughes' apartment.

The appointment with Mr. Roosevelt brought about a change in Mr. Hughes' immediate plans. Instead of returning to his temporary summer home at Bridgehampton, N. Y., this afternoon, the candidate will remain in New York until Thursday.

While Mr. Hughes was receiving callers today the national committee's subcommittee which will direct the organization of the new national committee and its executive committee was meeting. The subcommittee had before it the selection of a national chairman which Mr. Hughes is known to have made. W. Murray Crane of Massachusetts, chairman of the subcommittee, expected to consult Mr. Hughes later in the day, and it was believed the identity of the national chairman would be made known tomorrow.

The name of William R. Willcox. former' public service commissioner, was before the committee today, it was authoritatively learned, as Mr. Hughes' first choice for the chairmanship of the national committee.

It was understood, however, that Mr. Hughes had presented also a second

the national committee.

It was understood, however, that Mr. Hughes had presented also a second choice in case Mr. Willcox was not acceptable to the committee. The identity of this man could not be learned.

The committee's session this forenon was informal. The members were expected to meet in formal session this afternoon.

Johnson to Support Hughes.

Hiram W. Johnson, one of the leaders needed at the front. The officers advised the committee that "we will have to
have one engineer depot at each place
where we cross the line nto Mexico, and
one at Vera Cruz."

Hiram W. Johnson, one of the leaders
of the progressive party, today announced that he will support Charles
E. Hughes, republican, for the presidency "because I believe" nounced that he will support Charles E. Hughes, republican, for the presidency "because I believe his record

TO HOLD ANNUAL CONVENTION.

warrants it."

Electrical Engineers Gather in Cleveland for Business Session. CLEVELAND, June 27 .- Electrical

engineers are here from all over the country to attend the thirty-third annual convention of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, which will continue through the week.

Among the distinguished engineers who will take part in the deliberations are; John J. Carty, president of the institute, chief engineer of the American Telegraph and Telephone Company; Prof. Comfort A. Adams, professor of Electrical Engineering at Harvard; Prof. John B. Whitehead of John Hopkins University and E. H. Martindale of the National Carbon Co. country to attend the thirty-third

Co. Harold W. Buck, president-elect, will be introduced to the members at tonight's session.

Biggest Bungalow Sensation in Washington



12th St. and Rhode Island Ave. N. E.

Within a few minutes of the business center and shopping district Electric lights, hot-water heat, built-in china cabinet, open fire-

places, big rooms, spacious porches. Roomy yards surround house.

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